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COUNTY DIRECTORY.

MORGAN COUNTY.

The county town of Morgan County is Wartburg, and the various Courts are held as follows:—

CHANCERY COURT.—Hon. D. K. Young, Chancellor ex-officio. Meets first Monday in March, July and November. Samuel H. Staples, Clerk and Master.

CIRCUIT COURT.—Hon. D. K. Young, Judge; J. M. D. Mitchell, Attorney-General. Meets first Monday in March, July and November. J. W. Scott, Clerk.

COUNTY COURT.—M. Stevens, Chairman. Quarterly Court meets first Monday in January, April, July and October. Quorum Court meets first Monday in every month. M. F. Redman, Clerk.

COUNTY OFFICIALS.—G. W. Green, Sheriff; John D. Kreise, Trustee; John L. Scott, Register; Thomas Roberts, County Surveyor; J. Staples, Superintendent Public Schools.

SCOTT COUNTY.

The county town of Scott County is Huntsville, and the various Courts are held as follows:—

CHANCERY COURT.—Hon. D. K. Young, Chancellor. Meets fourth Monday in March, July and November. J. J. Duncan, Clerk and Master.

CIRCUIT COURT.—Hon. D. K. Young, Judge; J. M. D. Mitchell, Attorney-General. Meets fourth Monday in March, July and November. R. Hurt, Clerk; J. J. Duncan, Deputy Clerk.

COUNTY COURT.—Hon. J. C. Parker, Judge. Quarterly Court meets first Monday in January, April, July and October. Quorum Court meets first Monday in every month. Jno. Pemberton, Clerk; J. J. Duncan, Deputy Clerk.

COUNTY OFFICIALS.—Beatty Cecil, Sheriff; E. M. Sexton, Trustee; William Sharp, Register; Alvin Parker, County Surveyor; James H. Jeffers, Superintendent Public Schools.

FENTRESS COUNTY.

The county town of Fentress County is Jamestown, and the various Courts are held as follows:—

CHANCERY COURT.—Hon. D. K. Young, Chancellor. Meets first Monday after the fourth Monday in March, July and November. S. V. Bowden, Clerk and Master.

CIRCUIT COURT.—Hon. D. K. Young, Judge; J. M. D. Mitchell, Attorney-General. Meets first Monday after the fourth Monday in March, July and November. A. A. Gooding, Clerk.

COUNTY COURT.—Hon. James George, Judge. Meets the first Monday in each month. A. J. Mace, Clerk.

COUNTY OFFICIALS.—G. W. Conatser, Sheriff; O. P. Cooper, Trustee; G. S. Kingston, Register; J. C. Phillips, County Surveyor; B. L. Stephens, Superintendent of Public Schools.

1883.

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FOR SALE,
A Town Lot at the corner of Cumberland Avenue and Harrow Road, Rugby. Any person wanting a building lot in this very desirable locality can buy the above for \$10. It cost \$75. Apply at the Office of the Plateau Gazette.

E. H. BOOTH, LAND AGENT & SURVEYOR, WARTBURG, TENN.

Examines and makes Abstracts of Titles, Pays Taxes, &c. Parties owning lands in Morgan and adjoining counties would do well to confer with me.

MASONIC.
The stated communications of RUGBY LODGE, 518, U. D., will be held on the Wednesday evening of each month before full moon. Visiting, and neighboring brethren cordially invited.

R. WALTON, W. M.
C. OBERDONK, Secretary.

NOTICE! TO FENTRESS CITIZENS.

FOR SALE, LUMBER in the old house on Armisthwaite Farm (Mr. Maule's). Send in bids on or before April 14th, to F. C. FISHER, Agent, Rugby, Tenn.

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Work well performed by the job or contract.
As a qualified vine dresser and fruit and vegetable gardener T. F. believes he can give full satisfaction. Terms on application.

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Lands suitable for vineyards, orchards and fruit growing.

New lands laid out and prepared for farms. Contracts made for clearing, fencing and building.
Intending settlers assisted in the choice of farms and building sites.

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THE PLATEAU FOR HEALTH, STOCK AND FRUIT.

Between East and Middle Tennessee lies the great Cumberland Plateau, a section of country peculiarly attractive at this time to the immigrant from the remarkable cheapness of lands and its adaptability to fruit, garden stuff and stock-raising. It lies within both Grand Divisions, the line passing near the center. It is a large space, about sixty miles wide, and passes across the State in a diagonal direction. It is elevated about 2,000 feet above the sea, and its surface being almost level, only broken here and there by immense ravines, some of them reaching almost to its foundation, which gives it a peculiarly wild and romantic appearance. It is covered with a heavy growth of native grasses that afford an almost inexhaustible range for cattle and sheep. So great are the resources of grazing that stock will keep in tolerable order during the summer and winter. It is a great resort for invalids during the summer months, the purity of the air and the salubrity of the water giving a great reputation, and deservedly to invalids, especially to those affected with lung diseases. The timber on most of the plateau is immense, and in its pristine splendor. For fruit, such as apples, pears and grapes, it is unsurpassed in the world. The trees and vines bear in an astonishing manner.—
Dr. W. M. Clark, Nashville.

Peter Cooper—a name widely known, and honored as widely—has passed away at the ripe age of ninety-two years. This "time honored" life, full of honors from his childhood, was born in New York City in 1791, and his history will be handed down as that of one who was in all respects a man. Poor in early life, time and ability gave him great wealth, which he largely used in the education and amelioration of individuals and the masses. He had large inventive abilities, designing and building the first locomotive engine constructed in the United States; but as a philanthropist, and the founder of the Cooper Institute, where rich and poor are alike taught free, he will be best and most lastingly remembered.

Hon. R. M. Chapman, who represents in the Legislature the counties of Anderson and Morgan, was most cordially welcomed home at Coal Creek on the 30th ult. At the station he was met by a number of prominent citizens, who for his efforts to protect miners against convict competition, presented him with a solid gold watch chain and charm, upon one side of which was engraved "Presented to Hon. R. M. Chapman by his Coal Creek friends."

That the direct succession to the British Crown may not die out, it is rumored the eldest son of the Prince of Wales, a boy of nineteen years, has been found a young lady in the person of the Princess Clémentine of Saxe-Cobourg, daughter of the King of the Belgians and niece to the unfortunate Empress Charlotte, of Mexico. As the Princess is but thirteen years old, the marriage, if determined upon, will probably not take place for two or three years yet.

THE NEW POSTMASTER-GENERAL.

The President has appointed Judge Walter Q. Gresham, of Indiana, to the office of Postmaster-General, in place of the Hon. Timothy O. Howe, deceased, and the appointment appears to give great satisfaction.

Mr. Gresham was born in Harrison county, Ind., in 1832. He was educated in his native State, and from his first entry into the legal profession was very successful. Shortly before the war he was elected Representative in the State Legislature, and during the war he performed particularly useful and brilliant services. He held close personal relations with Gen. Grant, and in 1869 the latter appointed him to the place he now holds—United States Circuit Judge. He is an able, cultured man, and will add to the honor, efficiency and intellectual capacity of President Arthur's Cabinet.

The Hindus pray to 330,000,000 gods.

Colonel C. W. Charlton, of Knoxville, has been appointed Commissioner to look after Tennessee's exhibits at the Louisville exposition.

The future of the Southern States is no longer an unsolved problem. New life is swelling her veins, old customs and prejudices are dying out, and strong influences are at work which at no distant day will bring her to the front ranks of the producing and manufacturing States of the Union.—*New York Independent*.

Eleven thousand newspapers and periodicals are published in the United States. New York has the largest number of any State, viz.: 1411, and next comes Illinois with 1,017, Pennsylvania ranks third with 973, and afterwards in order are Ohio, Iowa and Missouri. Six hundred and forty of these papers are published in German, forty-nine in Danish and Scandinavian, and forty-one in French. There are five Welsh papers, three Chinese, three Indian, and one Irish.

The "Passion" play was privately presented, a few days ago, to a New York audience largely composed of Hebrews, and the acting generally was said to be good, impressive and reverent. The play consists of six acts, Christ appearing in but two. The Saviour is personated from the best idealistic representations of medieval artists. The first public performance, however, a few days later, was suppressed, and in announcing the stoppage of the performance Mr. Salmi Morse said, "I am a persecuted man; there is only one thing left for me, and that is crucifixion, and then I shall stand in the place of my Master."

The Czar's coronation spectacle, if it is ever displayed, will be on a grand scale of magnificence, and dazzling to the beholder, but underneath will be the decayed and crumbling supports of the throne, that time is so quickly destroying. No "Constitution" will be given the people, and the autocrat will go back—possibly—to his palace, which is little other than a State prison. The Nihilists have issued a proclamation that they are fully prepared for the coronation, and, during its progress, warn all those who value their personal safety to keep away from the neighborhood of the Imperial party. Of a truth the Czar will require on his coronation day all the "divinity" that Shakespeare said "doth hedge a king."

TENNESSEE NEWS.

Nashville is proposing to light its streets with the electric light.

At Clarksville, the colored Methodists are preparing to build a new church.

More emigrants passed through Chattanooga last season than ever before.

The Grand Lodge of Knights and Ladies of Honor shows forty-one lodges in Tennessee.

The house of Louis Kinsler, of Lawrence county, was destroyed by fire recently while the family was absent.

The fruit on Missionary Ridge, Chattanooga, is reported uninjured, notwithstanding the late severe weather.

There is a movement on foot to connect Rockwood and the intervening towns with Chattanooga by telephone.

Dr. J. G. M. Ramsey, Knoxville's patriarch and Tennessee's venerable historian, last Sunday celebrated his 87th birthday.

Thursday, last week a special train left Chattanooga by the Cincinnati Southern railway with 150 Mormon emigrants.

There are said to be rich zinc deposits in Sullivan county, only requiring capital to make working them very profitable.

Winchester, Tennessee, does not partake of the spirit of progress, only five dwelling houses being added to its township during the past seven years.

Many Tennessee gamblers since the passing of the law against gambling, have left the State to work where their operations are not pronounced felonious.

State Comptroller Pickard announces the scholastic population of Tennessee to be 549,170, and the school fund for the various counties as amounting to \$68,324.29.

Major Baird, one of the pioneer settlers of Hickman county, died recently, aged eighty-four years. On the farm which he settled he lived sixty-four years.

The marble interests of East Tennessee are to be augmented by the formation of a large joint stock company, the charter for which has already been registered at Knoxville.

Tennessee and Georgia run close together in population, but the former has exactly 179 more souls than the latter. Georgia, however, in square miles is one-fourth larger than Tennessee.

Shelbyville has had a bad fire. It commenced in a frame house occupied by Hardy Hughes, colored. Two of his children were burned to death. The Cumberland Presbyterian Church next caught and was seriously damaged; the Catholic Church also caught fire, and two other buildings were almost completely destroyed.

The competitive military drill and musical carnival at Nashville next month, bids fair to be a grand performance. Forty-nine companies, from Maine to Texas, have entered. Nearly all the organizations will be accompanied by delegations of friends. Three hundred persons will come with the Boston companies. President Arthur has promised to honor the occasion with his presence, if it is possible for him to do so. Several members of the Cabinet are expected. Gen. Grant and Gen. Hancock have agreed to be present. Hon. Jefferson Davis, ex-President of the Confederate States, will also be there.